


Appln. No. 10/815,266
Election and Amendment dated October 17, 2005
Response to Office Action dated September 15, 2005

Remarks

Based on the above election and amendment, Applicant requests removal of the restriction requirement and substantive examination of all elected claims. Claims 24-36, which correspond to non-elected Groups II and III, are cancelled; Applicant reserves the right to pursue the subject matter of the cancelled claims in one or more divisional patent applications. Thus, the Examiner is respectfully requested to examine claims 1-23 and 37-51 and issue a timely Notice of Allowance. The Examiner is invited to call the undersigned if it is believed that the above restriction election is incomplete or improper in any way, or if a telephonic interview will expedite the prosecution of the application to an allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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